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1 pages claims
3 claims</p> <p>3. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) [Total sheets 2]
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Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).</p> <p>5. <input type="checkbox"/> Incorporation by Reference
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8. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & documents(s))
9. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement ☐ Power of Attorney
(when there is an assignee)
10. ☐ English Translation of Document *(if applicable)*
11. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Citations
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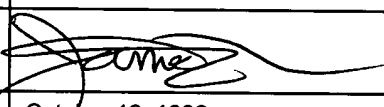
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